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**FORT HOOD SOLDIER DETAINED WITHOUT BOND -
CHARGED WITH ADVERTISING AND DISTRIBUTING CHILD PORNOGRAPHY**

(WACO, TEXAS) United States Attorney Johnny Sutton announced today that 20-year-old **GEORGE LUNDBERG** is being held without bond pending trial on charges of advertising and distributing child pornography.

Lundberg, an Air Force enlistee stationed at Fort Hood, is charged by federal indictment with one count each of possession of child pornography, distribution of child pornography and advertising child pornography. Testimony during his detention hearing yesterday revealed that Lundberg offered and sold child pornography via the Internet to individuals in over 25 countries using the screen name "ChildLuvr."

U.S. Customs Service agents, after being presented with evidence of Lundberg's activities by German authorities, executed a search warrant at Lundberg's barracks on Fort Hood and seized a computer. So far, authorities have recovered in excess of 400 files containing images and movies of child pornography from the defendant's computer.

United States Magistrate Judge Jeffrey C. Manske ordered Lundberg detained without bond pending trial after finding that Lundberg was a flight risk as he was about to be discharged from the Armed Services and that he had no ties to the community. Judge Manske also found Lundberg to be a threat to the community.

If convicted, Lundberg faces up to 15 years imprisonment on the distribution count, up to five years imprisonment on the possession count and between ten and 20 years imprisonment on the advertising count. An indictment is a formal accusation of criminal conduct, not evidence of guilt. Defendants are presumed innocent unless and until convicted through due process of law.

A trial date has yet to be set in this matter. This case was investigated by the Federal German Police and the United States Customs Service. Assistant United States Attorney Greg Gloff is prosecuting this case on behalf of the government.

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